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## Annual Meeting

### Of Ratepayers

#### REPORT OF COUNCIL

Your reeve and councilors have the honor to submit the following report of the work accomplished during the year 1920.

The financial statement and the auditor's report have been made to each resident ratepayer in the district from which you will readily observe the amounts received from various sources, and the amounts expended by your Council during the year just closed.

There is still a very large amount still outstanding for seed grain loans, mostly owing to the fact that many have not yet disposed of their grain; and a personal statement is being obtained from every borrower as to whether his grain is sold or not where all grain has been sold, February 25th has been set for settlement calling which distraint will be issued forthwith.

As a result of the Tax Sale List for 1920, over 300 quarters in arrears paid up all back taxes. These quarters it will in the power of the District to sell automatically became the property of the District, and those lands belonging to the Crown and the C.P.R. are being proceeded against at this time by distress.

There have been two Municipal Conventions held during the year, at both of which your Council was represented by delegates, one in February last in Edmonton, and one in November in Calgary. These conventions serve the purpose of threshing out municipal problems, as they arise in the various districts, and through the united demands of the delegates at these conventions it is possible to have the necessary amendments made in the Municipal Act as the need arises.

All the monies shown as having been paid out during the last seven years to sick and needy persons have been fully secured and bear interest, with the exception of about \$250; which is a very small percentage for such a long period for a district of nine townships.

Your Municipal Hall has been regularly rented up to the beginning of last summer, and has been a source of revenue in excess of the interest on the monies expended in the original capital. It is at present vacant with the exception of occasional dances, etc., but an offer has been made to rent it for business purposes.

A Municipal Hospital Scheme has again been under consideration, but nothing has been done owing to the adverse crop conditions. This is a matter which will eventually have to be taken in hand.

Your Board of Health have not had a very busy time, with the exception of the recent outbreak of Scarlet Fever, which is now reported as being all cleared away. Prompt measures were taken to stamp out this epidemic as soon as the cases were first known to exist.

It should be borne in mind by all ratepayers that nothing can be done regarding the prevention or stamping out of diseases unless the members of the public will obey the laws of public health promptly by reporting all suspected cases.

A good many new surveys have been applied for throughout the District but, owing to the Department being so far behind in this work, some of the surveys applied for have had to be left over until the next year.

Now that the Government Automobile Road has been definitely fixed and become almost a reality, it is practicable for your Council to make

a real fixed roads programme, by timely application of improvements and repairs leading up to the Main Trunk roads. To this end your Council have now submitted to the Department of Public Works a list of roads which are to form for the immediate future, what are to be known as Main District Roads. Once these Main District Roads are put into concrete shape, there will remain only the minor roads to fix up leading into them. The present year, then, should see the commencement of the making of roads which shall be permanent. Up to the present time, as must happen in all new districts, most of the time and money have been expended in fixing up temporary roads, moving fences and diversions, and providing for new roads as fast as fences have been put up to enclose old trails. The expenditure in this channel is practically at an end.

Your working plant has been increased by the addition of extra Fresno Scrapers and plows for each district, and one Ditcher Grader.

The amount provided for road work was \$8000; and the amount actually expended amounted to \$8502. The rates of pay were increased.

Weeds Inspection was carried out by the Councillor for each district who made it his business to attend to all reports forwarded through your office. This method was adopted as a temporary arrangement only for the purpose of curtailing expenditure.

Work was commenced on the Main Road to Provost, between ranges one and two, running south from the Chauvin Stock Yards, some assistance having been granted from the Provincial Government in this regard; and this may be completed in the year 1921.

The court of Review held last June heard fourteen appeals against assessment, and decided same to the satisfaction of all parties.

Your new assessment was completed during the summer, and your next tax notices will be based on that assessment, and will hold good for a period of five years. From this date all supplemental, educational, and wild land taxes will be levied by valuation, instead of, as heretofore, by an acreage rate.

The Cemetery at Ribstone has been laid out in suitable plots, staked and numbered, and arrangements have been made for a cemetery site at La Pearl.

The rate of taxation was maintained at 7 miles, and the average rate for School Taxes was only 7½ miles throughout the district.

The estimates for the year were \$17,957, and the actual expenditure amounted to \$17,600.00.

A movement was set on foot by Galt Edge Municipal District for the purpose of making some arrangements regarding Herd Law regulations as between neighbouring Municipal Districts. Councillor Tunney was appointed as your representative in that regard; but no meetings have yet been held.

A temporary seating arrangement has been made for the Municipal Hall, owing to the destruction or removal of the former furniture; chairs not being found satisfactory for such a purpose.

Your Treasurer's Bond has been increased from \$3000 to \$5000 owing to the large amount of money handled by him in comparison with former years. Over \$100,000.00 in receipts and the same amount in disbursements for the year 1920, as compared with \$16,000 for the year 1914.

The statement of expenditure on roads of each Councillor is in your hands on the printed form, together

with the remuneration received by each Councillor, and the printed forms are submitted as the proper statements required by the Municipal Districts Act.

Th amendments to the Seed Grain Act make the following provision:—that, in making up estimates for the year 1921, regard shall be had to the amounts owing for seed grain, and a sufficient rate shall be levied on all lands within the district to provide for all seed grain indebtedness in addition to the amount required for all other purposes.

Your Municipal District has now been organized as a Unit for over seven years; and this is the eighth year on which we have now entered. The returning Councillors are: Division No. 4, Councillor W. J. Sewell; Division No. 5, Councillor J. McCleusky; Division No. 6, Councillor W. E. Tunney; all of whom are eligible for re-election for the term of two years.

All of which is respectively submitted.

Signed: T. H. SAUL, Secretary-Treasurer.

The annual meeting of the ratepayers for the discussion of the affairs of the municipal district of Ribstone was held in the Municipal Hall at one o'clock in the afternoon, Monday, February 21st. There were forty ratepayers present. Reeve Ferguson presiding.

Moved Evans—Smith that the Reeve give a statement of the work done by the council during the year.

Reeve Ferguson then gave a short resume of the work of the council, and called upon the secretary to read the report of the council. The report of the councillors and Reeve was then read by the secretary.

Moved Nicholson—Evans that each councillor give an account of the money he had spent during the year.

The secretary explained that the figures were all in the hands of the ratepayers in the authorized form; and that each job executed by the councillors was set out in detail on the time sheet for that job, that to whom the money was due; and that a description of the work performed and the cost of the same, with the location, was entered in full on the back of each time sheet, said sheet then being signed by the foreman on that job, and countersigned by the Reeve. These time sheets could be seen at the office at any time. It was practically impossible for each Councillor to give from memory, a detailed account of the expenditures at this meeting.

Councillors Sewell and Tunney then replied to questions in regard to road work and expenditure.

Mr. E. N. Evans spoke in favor of the work being arranged each year for each division in the following manner: that the councillor call a meeting of his own particular resident ratepayers, inform them of the amount allotted to him to spend on road work, and then to formulate a programme for his own division, allotting the money according to the wish of that meeting.

He advocated the appointment of a specially experienced foreman to handle the work for the whole municipality.

Secretary said there was no provision in the act for the carrying out of the appropriations in such a manner; but that, as there was nothing in the Act to prevent it, such a method could be adopted if the councillor desired to do so.

Li-Col Rodden then (as representative of the Chauvin District U.F.A.) put questions to the nonresidents and in reply, Councillor Sewell stated that he was in favor of good roads, and if desired, of the appointment of an ex-

perienced foreman. Councillor Sewell was also in favor of grants to Agricultural Societies, with the proviso that the financial standing of the district are such conditions should warrant same.

He had always been a subscriber of the Agricultural Society, and of any effort to improve our live stock.

Councillor Tunney was in favor of good roads, not expressed the opinion that the ones who made the most complaints in regard to the roads were those who owned cars or heavy tractors, and who did most damage to the roads, without paying more than others; people, and those who refused to come out and help fix the roads when requested to do so. His great difficulty so far had been to obtain labor for the road works; and the men who were in arrears of taxes usually refused to work on the roads, or if they did work, seemed to think they should do as little as possible for the money, owing to the fact that some of the pay would go on tax arrears.

The question of debentures was raised, and Reeve Ferguson explained that debentures had been authorized by by-law in the council some two years ago; but owing to the low offer for same, and the money stringency, the matter was allowed to remain in abeyance. Mr. John Dallyn also informed the meeting to the same effect.

Mr. Evans was opposed to debentures, as was also Councillor Tunney; and Mr. Evans expressed the opinion that it would be better even to levy twice the current tax rather than issue debentures and put the district into debt. Lt-Col. Rodden was in favor of debentures, as were also Messrs H. S. and G. Burton; all holding the opinion that we would not have good roads unless the debenture p.m. was adopted.

Lt-Col. Rodden made a strong plea for good roads and for grants to the Chauvin Agricultural Society. Mrs McCleusky was present and raised the matter of the grant asked for to the Ribstone Fair; complaining that no action had been taken on the request, the letter being only filed; and Mrs McCleusky asked the council to take further action of the letter sent by the Ribstone W. I. Fairs committee.

Mr. E. L. Muray spoke in favor of the issue of debentures to be spread over a long period, so that those coming after us would bear their proportion of expenses.

Reeve Ferguson stated that if it could be shown to be the desire of the ratepayers that debentures should be issued, they might shortly have an opportunity to vote on the matter.

The feeling of the meeting was that the council would receive all the backing they desired for the purpose of better roads construction.

#### NOMINATIONS

At three o'clock, the Returning Officer (Mr Alfred Pettitt) declared the meeting open for nomination for councillors for division 4, 5, and 6. There were only three nominations handled at four o'clock the returning

officer declared the following duly elected for the term of two years as councillors for the respective divisions of the Municipal District of Ribstone, No. 421:—

Div. No. 4: W. J. Sewell  
Div. No. 5: John J. McCleusky  
Div. No. 6: W. W. Tunney

Returning officer then declared the meeting adjourned.

#### COUNCIL MEETING

Regular meeting of Council at Ribstone at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Present: Reeve Ferguson, and Councillors Sewell, Dumont, Tunney

and Duncete.

Motions of last preceding meeting were read and adopted as read on motion of Councillor Dumont.

Mr. Schneider appeared to request that the Council approve his application for a pool room license. Councillor Sewell moved that this be done. Carried.

Bridge-Secretary was instructed to forward to the Department of Public Works, the location of bridges required in the District, Re-H.B. and C.F.R. lands acquired for road works; these amounts were ordered to be paid on proof of requisition, on motion of Councillor Dumont. Carried.

Petitions for roads and bridges were referred to the Councillors for the respective districts, to be reported upon as soon as possible.

Hospital District Secretary was instructed to forward to Wainwright Hospital Committee stating that this District was not in shape to take action at the present time.

Public Health Nurse. The matter of providing Public Health Nurse for service between three Municipalities was fully discussed, and Secretary was instructed to reply to the Department to the effect that the cost was considered too high under the plan proposed, and that this Council would prefer some form of compulsory examination by the Municipal Medical Officer at a fixed fee per child examined; the nearest M.O. to act for two or three Municipalities. This plan would ensure a better chance of defects being eliminated to a greater degree.

Secretary was instructed to enforce the collection of arrears of taxes and seed grain loans; using distress proceedings where necessary.

Municipal Weight Scale: At the request of a committee appointed by the Chauvin District U.F.A., the Council discussed the matter of erecting and operating Municipal Scales. The Reeve and Secretary were appointed to meet the Council of the Village of Chauvin, or a committee

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## Chauvin Agricultural Society Column

## Crop Rotation

(Experimental Farm Notes)

The most important consideration is to decide what rotation would be most suitable. The prairie is an exceedingly extensive area of land including many different climates and types of soil. Different rotations are required, therefore, to meet these variations in soil and climate. The Dominion Experimental Farms system has located in representative areas, Experimental Farms which have conducted experiments for several years in an effort to learn what rotations are most suitable in their respective districts. The most profitable move, therefore, for a farmer who contemplates commencing a rotation of crops, would be to discuss the matter with the Superintendent.

ent of the nearest Experimental Farm, or with a representative of the Provincial Department of Agriculture. The information might save him considerable money.

The rotation selected should possess the following characteristics. It should not fail to give, at least a fair immediate return by having a proportionate area in a cash crop. It would be unwise to make too radical change from the proportion of cash crops now grown although a small reduction may have to be made in order to introduce grass crops. The rotation should provide work for the horses during the greater part of the growing season, because other things being equal, or nearly so, the larger the area which can be handled by one man, the more profit for that man. Where an appreciable change is made in the cropping system by increasing the acreage of grass, more live stock will be required; this live stock will utilize the

straw to better advantage. In districts where, owing to freight rates, the market price of grain is relatively low, a relatively larger proportion of stock should be kept. If a farm contains some land which is markedly different from the main type of soil, it is advisable to crop this land different from the main type of the under a separate cropping system.

## Alberta's Best Bet

There is one Alberta industry which never seems to suffer serious setbacks. At the dairy convention in Calgary last week, Mr. Marker, the commissioner, stated that in 1920 milk, butter and cheese were produced to the value of \$34,000,000. The significance of this is better appreciated in the light of Mr. Marker's further information that the annual value of our dairy products doubled between 1910 and 1915 and doubled again between 1915 and 1920. The conviction grows stronger that the dairy cow is Alberta's "one best bet."

The Ottawa correspondents have been busying themselves for some time with computations of the size of the Government's majority. The result of their calculations is to place it at about 17. The Union Government of Sir Robert Borden counted upon some seventy majority. The Meighen ministry meets the House of Commons for the first time, therefore with about one quarter of the majority with which its predecessor began. To that, even, it can establish no legitimate claim.

## Mixed Farming

For some time the gospel of mixed farming has been so constantly preached throughout the west that it is interesting to see what progress in this direction is being made.

Anyone acquainted with farming conditions in the Chauvin district knows that raising grain exclusively for sale is not a very highly profitable business. But the practise of mixed farming is making farmers independent of the grain market.

The farmers of the Chauvin district have a great opportunity to engage in mixed farming. The markets are close at hand and there is never danger of finding the British Columbia market glutted in case Calgary and Edmonton should be over-supplied. In addition to the present activities there is dairying which will stand considerable development. Imitation butter is now flooding the west. This should be a challenge to the farmers of Central Alberta to double their output and keep the market free of this spurious article.

This year when the Chauvin district is expecting an unusual influx of new settlers it is gratifying to be able to point to such highly satisfactory conditions in so many of the important branches of farming. The west will never be satisfied until a better market is opened in the United States but for the present the farmers can turn the high prices for mixed farming products to very good account.

WANTADS SELL QUICKLY

## The Safe Game

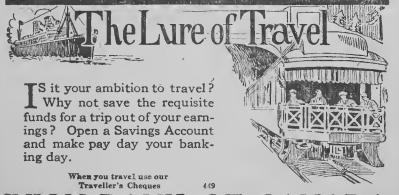
One of the largest grain dealers in the Dominion, says it is true that farmers cannot make money selling wheat at \$1.50 per bushel, and that it is also true that the time is coming when all his grain the fall it is threshed but must hold it and dispose of it as the railways can take it forward.

Undoubtedly both statements are correct. Being correct, they summarize the absolute necessity of developing mixed farming rather than wheat growing. If the Farmer cannot make money selling wheat at \$1.50 per bushel as soon as it is threshed, he certainly cannot make money by holding the wheat six months and then selling it for only enough advance to cover the shrinkage of the grain and the cost of storage—and occasionally selling it for no more or for less than he could have got at threshing time.

If it comes to a show down among the nations as to which got the smallest amount of material gain out of the war don't overlook Canada. We didn't get a foot of territory and nobody really expects that we will get a cent of indemnity money.

## Selecting Seed

Several thousand Alberta farmers are now considering the purchase of seed grain for the 1921 crop. Some of them will follow "old methods" and scoop their seed grain from their bins when they are ready to sow within a few weeks. Many of these will be disappointed with results next fall. Many will be no farther ahead than they were a year ago. Some will be farther behind. There will be thoughtful farmers who have studied with reputations, get seed that they know will be acclimated to the locality as near as possible. They will get seed that has been tested, cleaned and guaranteed. It will cost them more money but it will pay them dollars for the cents that are expended for seeds of reputation. They will know that the high priced farm machinery they are buying to prepare the seed bed, sow the seed, harvest it and haul it to market, is being bought for work with high-class material. They can better afford to pay big freight rates, high tariff and all the other expenses that go with high grade farm machinery, if they are getting it to use on seed that will produce enough more bushels and of a higher value than they ever grew before.



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### Chauvin Orchestra

#### CHAUVIN ORCHESTRA DANCE

The orchestra is giving another \$30-12.00 dance in the L.O.O.F. Hall Friday February 25th. The music will start promptly at 8:30, so that all may have a good long evening before the dance closes, and good long sleep before the duties of the next day start.

Program as follows:

PROGRAM

Admission Gents \$1, Ladies Free. 1. Waltz—"Meet me in Bubbleland".

2. One Step—"I'm Climbing Mountains". 3. Fox Trot—"So Long". 4. Waltz—"Mickey". 5.

Circle Two Step—"I wonder how the Old Folks are at Home". 6. One Step—"Taxi". 7. Schottische—"That's what they all do". 8. Three Step—"Society's Craze". 9. Waltz—"Ladies Choice". 10. Fox Trot—"Freckles". 11. One Step—"My Desert Fantasy".

INTERMISSION

12. Waltz—"Golden Gate". 13.

Quadrille—"Medley Lancers". 14.

Two Step—"The cutest Girl in Town". 15. Fox Trot—"Feather your Nest".

16. One Step—"How you gonna keep 'em down on the farm" 17. Three Step—"Milday". 18. Home Sweet Home".

In recognition of the effort that is being put forth by the members of the orchestra, the Oddfellows have allowed the free use of the hall for this occasion, except heat and light; This is very encouraging as also are the comments made by some upon the progress made so far, but if the orchestra is to keep on with its ob-

ligation to the community, it is essential that it has the fullest support, as although the orchestra is not by any means a money making scheme money is necessary to make things go, and so far, each and every member of the orchestra is actually out of pocket, which you will agree is a very undesirable state of affairs. So you are all invited to attend this dance and help to give the orchestra a boost, both by your money and by your presence.

### C. G. Forryan Is Elected Councillor

Monday last was polling day in the village. The poll being open from two o'clock in the afternoon until nine o'clock in the evening at the office of the secretary, Mr. H. N. Freeman, the results of the voting being:

Forryan ..... 42

Poirier ..... 27

C. G. Forryan was duly elected as councillor for the village of Chauvin.

### Sad Accident

Whilst coasting down Durham St. hill, Guelph, Saturday February 5th, George Brown lost control of his steich, owing to another lad jumping on him.

He was thrown, striking a tie post head first with considerable force and rendered unconscious. His little girl companion took him home on the little sled. Medical aid was sum-

moned and it was found that the skull was fractured. The victim suc-

cumbed to his injuries on Monday, February 7th. The little lad was but five years old, being son of Mr and Mrs Brown and grandson of Mr George Buelmer.

### Liquor Case

The case against George Buelmer was dismissed and the liquor was ordered to be returned. It will be remembered that the liquor was seized at Chauvin, Saturday January 29th and taken to Edmonton. At the time of writing no liquor has been returned to Chauvin.

### Ribstone W. I. Notes

The Ribstone Women's Institute will resume their regular monthly meetings on Saturday, March 5th at 2 p.m. in the Municipal Hall. We hope that everybody interested will make an effort to be present, as the secretary has much business to bring before the meeting, also old business to be settled.

### Card Of Thanks

To those who showed their confidence in me at the polls on Monday, My thanks.

I trust you will not find that confidence misplaced.

C. G. FORRYAN

### Chauvin W. I. Notes

The next meeting of the C.W.I. will be held on Wednesday March 2nd in the Rest Room at 3 o'clock. The agenda includes Round Table Talk.

### Ribstone U.F.A.

The Ribstone U.F.A. will hold their annual meeting on Saturday, February 26th at 2 p.m. sharp, in the Municipal Hall.

### Manitou Lake Council Meeting

The meeting of the Manitou Lake Council was held at the Municipal Hall, Marsden, Sask. February 14th, 1921.

Present: Reeve Chapman, Councillors Bradley, Williams, Lawson, Coe and Plowman.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and passed on motion.

The Secretary was ordered to write to the Dept. asking for a blue print of Hillsdale Municipality showing the main road system.

The Secretary was requested to write to Mr. Chas. Officer and Mr. Doug. Graham asking if they would be good enough to take over the position of caretaker to the Manitou Cemetery.

Moved by Coe that the New Tax Roll cover be sent away to have a piece cut from it as it is now too large for the safe. Carried.

The Council went on record as being in favor of the Lashburn Hosp. being a Union Hospital.

The question of Brody District then opened and Mr. Forran read the question and Mr. Merritt spoke at length on the advantages of a good education.

The question was discussed at length and from a number of points but in the end the council decided that the question was one not to be hurriedly gone over and the Reeve said that he was of the opinion that the question was one taking in much more than the Brady and New District. It was then moved by Mr. Coe that the Council postpone the discussion of the subject until a special meeting of Council which was put at February 28th and afterwards changed to March 1st. (Those interested please note the change) Carried.

Moved by Coe that one representative of the Council attend the Municipal Convention to be held at Regina March 9th, 10th, and 11th. Carried.

Moved that the Secretary be the delegate. Carried.

Moved that the financial statements to the amount of \$500 be ordered from the Battleford Press. Carried.

The Secretary was ordered to write to Constable Kingstone, Cut Knife asking under what authority he places the estate of the late Robt. R. Juke Arland into the hands of the Northern Trust Co.

Accounts as under were passed.

McKeehan (Chauvin) Poison \$518.44

Unity Hosp. Board (election) 41.56

Mr. Forran ..... 21.05

Stationery Supplies Company 21.05

Accounts re Jukes ..... 75.50

Accounts re Jukes ..... 6.90

Gas, Laundry (Hosp. Board) 18.00

The meeting was adjourned on motion to meet again at a special meeting to be called for March the 1st 1921.

Mr. L. E. Collette is to be the Chauvin agent for the Delco Light Co.

### Many Enrol In

#### 19th Alta Dragoons

A very enthusiastic and largely attended meeting was held on Thursday evening last in the L.O.O.F. Hall for the purpose of forming a local troop of cavalry for the 19th Alta. gave a very interesting talk and also in this Militia Unit. The parades as far as we are concerned consist of two weeks at the summer camp in Sarcee, Calgary, likely the last two weeks in June and the training chiefly will be inter-troop competitions in Baseball and all kinds of horse racing etc. There is no doubt that a truly wonderful time will be had by those who are fortunate enough to get down to the camp. It was very gratifying to note the splendid turn and also the number of men who signed on for this troop but we can still do with more names on the lists, so if you are desirous of becoming a member call and see Mr. A. E. Keith at his office and get all the particulars required. Now lets all get together and show the rest of this good Province of ours that Chauvin is certainly on the map and has a troop second to none in the whole Canadian Militia.

Major Strachan, Cap. J. F. Peach W. J. Peach, W.

W. J. Cubitt, C. J. Smith, Jeff Swan Len Price, A. S. Campbell, E. A. Pitman, A. Pierce, R. H. Beatty, R. Pierce, A. E. Keith, E. S. Keatley, D. W. Parcells, A. W. Wright, L. H. Leib, E. R. Stewart, R. E. Noakes, Harold Foxwell, T. H. Saul, H. N. Freeman, G. Rey-

nolds, E. Mathison, G. J. Goede, P. St Pierre, Jas Guthrie, Jas McCary, D. Macdonald, J. A. MacKenzie, A. J. MacCaskill, Geo. Newstead, Herman Godin, Jas Harder, Geo. M. Beattie, John H. Young, Arthur Hirson, Geo. Burton, Ed. Russel, F. LaPlante, A. Tuey.

### W. L. A. Notes

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Westminister church will meet at the manse on Thursday, March 3rd, instead of March 10th.

### Ernest Carrie Dead

The many friends of Mrs. J. Carr among this district will be grieved to hear of the death of her son Ernie, on Monday morning February 21st, from a severe attack of rheumatism.

### G. W. V. A. Aux.

A meeting of the G.W.V.A. Auxiliary is called for Saturday afternoon February 26 at 4 o'clock in Mr. T. H. Sauls office for the purpose of making plans for the coming year. All members are especially asked to make an effort to be present at this meeting.

Born: To Mr. and Mrs. E. Atkins Wednesday, February 18th a son.

Born: To Mr. and Mrs. Nicholson, Sunday, February 20th a son.

Mrs. J. Reinhardt went to visit her daughter at Wainwright

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### Financial Statement: Westminster Church

RECEIPTS	EXPENDITURE
Cash in Bank:	
General ..... 9.08	
Manso Account ..... 221.70	
Collections:	
Envelopes ..... 324.20	
Loose ..... 286.90	
Special ..... 699.05	
Church and Manso Board ..... 1299.00	
Taxes (Mrs Swan) ..... 15.00	
Ladies Auxiliary Balance in Bank ..... 135.89	
<b>TOTAL</b> ..... 2891.82	
ASSETS	
Church building, Lots, Etc., Furniture, Fixtures, Heat and Light plant ..... 2974.50	
Fuch on Hand ..... 25.00	
Banknotes ..... 20.00	
Balance in Bank:	
General and Manso ..... 25.85	
Manso Building and Lots ..... 2160.00	
<b>TOTAL</b> ..... 5145.35	
LIABILITIES	
Loan: Church and Manso	
Board ..... 800.00	
Interest to Dec. 31st 1920 ..... 13.33	
Insurance ..... 22.50	
Balance: Assets over Liabilities ..... 4309.52	
<b>TOTAL</b> ..... 5145.35	

### Financial Statement: Sunday School

RECEIPTS	EXPENDITURE
Cash on hand, previous year ..... 4.49	
S. S. Collections ..... 75.02	
Miscellaneous ..... 3.19	
Interest on monthly balances ..... 25	
<b>TOTAL</b> ..... 82.86	
Sunday school supplies ..... 12.00	
Cross and Crown Systm ..... 12.60	
Donation to Manso Fund ..... 25.00	
Paid for Gifts ..... 1.13	
Total ..... 60.73	
Balance: Cash on hand ..... 22.13	
<b>TOTAL</b> ..... 82.86	

### Westminster Church Annual Meeting

CHURCH SECRETARY'S REPORT  
During the past year your Board has held four meetings.

During the opening of our business year Mr. Mitchellson was in charge of the congregation, being succeeded by Rev. Millar, on June 1st.

A special meeting of the congrega-

tion was also called on May 23rd at which it was decided to purchase the residence of Mrs. as Swan for a manso, the purchase price being the sum of \$2100.00.

Of this amount the Church and Manso Board, of Toronto, authorized a grant of \$400.00 and a loan of \$800.00.

A canvas was made for the remaining \$900.00 and your managers were

successful in getting this amount subscribed. Two donations were received from the Ladies Auxiliary, amounting to \$245.00, also \$50.00 from the Y. P. S., and \$25.00 from the Sunday School.

These spendid contributions were very greatly appreciated and the congregation are indebted to these societies for their generous assistance and untiring efforts.

Two days before the close of our year a letter was received from Rev. W. Simmons, superintendent of missions, stating that the mission board would not be able to continue the present grant to Chauvin for the next year. In order to make up this deficiency in the grant, this congregation will be called upon to increase their contributions to the church by \$2.00 per week.

This is a very small amount and there would be no difficulty in making up this difference and the managers appeal to you for your co-operation in this matter.

A further sub-subsidion of \$50.00 has been promised by the Prosperity congregation and which will take care of the interest of the loan from Church and Manso Fund and the insurances on the Manso which is now due, and which amounts are still outstanding.

W. McChusky -- Mrs. G. McNutt: that this report be accepted as read.

Carried.

Report of the Ladies Auxiliary was read. Mrs. Saul -- Mrs. McChusky: that this report be adopted as read.

Carried.

Sunday school report was read: Mrs. Millar -- Mrs. McChusky: that this report be adopted as read. Carried.

It was decided that the board should consist of five members. The election of these members was deferred until Sunday evening.

Last Sunday evening the following were elected as members of the board of managers: Messrs. A. E. Keith, C. C. McChusky, C. G. Forryan, T. H. Saul, A. E. Foxwell

### SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

The following report was read at the annual meeting of the Westminster Sunday School, February 5th

The annual meeting of the Westminster Sunday School was held on March 6th. All the officers being present.

The secretary-treasurers report was read and accepted.

The election of officers resulted as follows: Superintendent, A. E. Keith; Assistant, L. D'Albanson; Secretary, Eileen Ellis; Treasurer, William Ellis; Organist, Miss Smith.

The work of the past year has been very successful in attendance as well as financially.

The average attendance being 26, and the total receipts \$82.86

We gave assistance to the Manso Fund to the amount of \$25.00

Our Christmas treat, which we all enjoyed, was provided by the Ladies Auxiliary, and the tree was donated by Mr. Alex Taylor.

In conclusion the School extends its sincere thanks to our superintendent Mr. Keith, and assistant Mr. D'Albanson for their invaluable services rendered during the past year. Our thanks are also due to Miss Smith as organist.

Respectfully submitted  
EILEEN ELLIS, Secretary

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attempting to please their parents and friends. The pupils are to be congratulated on the fact that it would be impossible to pick out any one special star. The costumes were elegant and all the ladies who so kindly helped in the making should feel proud of the appearance of their handiwork. The program was put through with no delays, owing to the excellent system and management of Mrs. Ellis. All three remaining down in the basement through the entire performance and costuming the children to be in readiness for their respective parts. Mrs. Freeman handled the piano with her usual consummate skill and Dr. Folkins in his usual versatile manner combed forth the contents of the program and at the psychological moment gave a brief and inspiring address. The hall was well decorated with the immaculate and tasty decorations, so kindly loaned by the ladies of the bank staff.

Mr. Herbert saw to the seating and various other matters which are so essential to the ease of the audience. An exact statement of receipts and expenses will be given next week, but the amount cleared will be in the neighborhood of sixty dollars. The concert was launched for the purpose of preparing funds for the school's various physical activities and the amount raised should go a long way toward making a success of the approaching season, financially.

The students watchword: "Hail! Hall! May the gang all be here next year!"

splendid programme is assured.

Also the Grain Growers meeting at Brady School, Saturday 26th. Scale shareholders are especially urged to be present.

Congratulations to one of our returned men (Mr. Ken. W. Cee) on the occasion of his marriage to Miss Allison. It is understood that a dance is being given in Brady School in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Cee on Friday, March 4th.

### His Passing

(In Memory Of The Late Robert Jukes Esq.)

The poor old man is dead, is dead!  
And lonely did he die.  
None smoothed the pillow 'neath his head.

Nor heard his dying sigh.

He felt that visitor so dread,  
That visitor was night,  
And wrote a note in which he said,  
"Dear friends, dear friends, Goodbye"

And laying down upon his bed,  
He closed his weary eyes.

His face was calm, his soul had sped

Away to Paradise.

To warm his hands, one drawing grain

Went to his fireside

Put symbol-like, the cheering flame,

Had like the old man did.

Gently and softly came they then,

In reverence led him by.

In Brady graveyard, for a spell.

Does his body lie.

The poor old man is dead, is dead!  
And lonely did he die.

None smoothed the pillow 'neath his head,

Nor heard his dying sigh.

But the King, who reigneth all above,  
Be sure that He was nigh,

And rushing on the wings of love,

Comforted his sigh.

A. C. M.

### Notes from North East

It is understood that the school question has been adjourned for a vote of the district of Brady which is to be taken on the subject.

Mr. and Mrs. Axel Gabrielson have returned from a visit to Wainwright, On Axel, where are the molars?

A full account of the Grain Growers organization meeting a Ufram will appear next week.

The trails have been awfully bad lately. What a storm that was to be sure, but it was not bad enough to hold up a certain newly married couple from making their way home from Chauvin.

Don't forget the entertainment at Lerie School on Friday 25th.

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CHAUVIN ALBERTA

## Legislation May

## Adjourn At Easter

On account of the illness of Premier Charles Stewart which probably will prevent him from taking any active part in the legislative session now beginning, there is every possibility that the house, after dealing with questions of supply and the annual estimates and budget, may adjourn until next September.

Leading members of the cabinet, in the present disturbed situation of poli-

tical affairs, are exceptionally averse to acting upon important legislation without the guiding hand of the man authorized by the Liberal party of Alberta to direct their elected representatives.

Such a policy is forecasted in the speech from the throne which made no reference whatever to the most important legislation that confronts the people of Alberta today. Amendments to the liquor act, irrigation legislation, proportional representation, redistribution and possible amendments in important statutes such as the new supreme court division were all diplomatically ignored in the speech.

This is said to have been due to the fact that the remainder of the cabinet hoped that before the session ended, Premier Charles Stewart would have so far recovered his health that he would be able to take an active part in shaping legislation. While the premier is now making a fair recovery, all hope of his being able to take part in the present session has now been practically abandoned. What the premier requires is said to be an extended vacation out of the province and his physicians are reported to have practically ordered this action.

The result is that there is an almost unanimous move among members on

the government side and the cabinet to hasten the present session to a close at the earliest possible moment, dealing with the routine legislation that has to be handled such as the various charter amendments and private bills, and then adjourn the session until such time as Mr. Stewart will have been fully recovered and able to again take hold of the helm.

If such a course is decided upon, there will be little objection from the opposition. The present unsettled condition of affairs within the opposition, would lead them to agree to postpone action on any very important question of new legislation until next Fall. At that time, it is possible that the government after dealing with all important questions of legislation, might publicly announce the date of a new election for 1922, to be held possibly before the calling together of the 1922 legislature. At the present time such a program seems acceptable to most members of the house who have been consulted on the subject, and the tentative feelers put forward by the cabinet toward such a plan have met with almost unanimous agreement.

As Easter comes this year very early, on March 25, if this plan is adopted, it is probable that the present session may be brought to a close on the preceding day.

## Wheat Certificates

Holders of participation certificates who did not surrender them to the Canadian Wheat Board on or before December 31st 1920, will be given another chance to redeem them, according to a statement issued by the board. The statement reads:

"Notwithstanding that participation certificates issued by the Canadian Wheat Board provide that no claim made under or in respect thereof would be paid unless such claim was made and certificates surrendered to the board on or before December 31, 1920, producers and others still holding these certificates are requested to immediately surrender same to the board, when due consideration will be given to the matter of making payment thereon."

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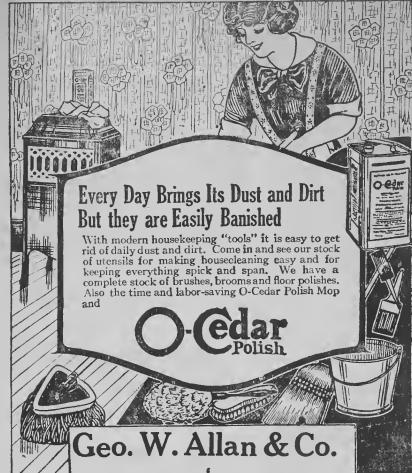


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**AT THE FRONT**

It had become quite dry and we were ready to proceed up into our position in the line. A man had been sent up to the front to go over the way so that he could lead us in and there was a full section, as the battalion we were relieving had sent out men to lead the companies up into their places.

After the usual delay we got started and were going nearly due north from our position. McCauley, (our guide) said that for a little way here he was not quite sure of his bearings and if we would stop there he would go and find the trench that we were close to and that we had to go up the line in, from there. We sat down and he went off, telling us to come to him when he shouted. He was only gone a minute when we heard him shout and on going toward him we found we were again the trench and from there it was easier going. We went up this trench for a long way, nearly a mile, and were all the time getting closer to the German lights and the machine gun fire. We crossed a place of dead ground and then went into a sunken road which the guide told us was the place we were to stay in.

There were tank holes in the forward side of the road and these we soon found when we started to hunt around. There was hardly room for two men in these places but so that we could get together we soon enlarged them with our entrenching tools. The night was cold as we also knew that the front line was just two hundred yards in front we did not get much sleep that night.

In the morning Malone who had been with me, crawled out and took a look round, coming back immediately with a tin of jam that was opened in the twinkling of an eyelash. We then got some biscuits and started to spread some jam on it, having our breakfast in this fashion. Malone put the tin in a piece of wood from a German shell box just outside the place we were sitting in. We were I should say, sitting out on the side. A shell landed some few yards behind us and shook some dirt down into the tin, filling it up to the top. "Hell" exclaimed Malone "Why the deuce don't they kill a man instead of throwing sand in his grub?"

Presently, as I had nothing else to do, I started to hunt for something new and found it in the shape of some German ammunition and star shells that had been left behind when "he" did a hurried retreat from the place.

Courcellette was just on our right, as we faced the front, and it was pretty well knocked out by this time. We could see the boilers of the old sugar refinery and all of the other ruins of the old town.

I was nosing around in a pile of old junk Fritz left, when a fellow that I did not know came over and also started to hunt. We finally got tired of this and started up the sunken road, we passed the old gun positions and came out to the top of the slope where it was possible to see over towards Albert, there was only the forward bank of the sunken road and to me the place did not look at all a good one so I started back. It was a funny thing that the other fellow and myself had not spoken to each other all the time we had been together.

I had hardly got back to my funk hole when a fellow little way past me yelled "Stretcher bearer" as loud as he could, and at the same time, he started to runtoward the place I had just come from. Turning round I saw that the fellow, that had just a few seconds before been with me and alive well, was kicked up a short distance in the roadway. They brought him down and me a minute after and he was shot through the chest just above the heart. I think he must have looked over the top of the sunken road and a German sniper saw him, and of course that time you were as good as dead if a German sniper saw and could get a good shot at you. I

afterwards found out, (it was afternoon) that the sniper could not have been less than seven hundred yards from the man. Some shooting about 10:30 Fritz opened up with a few guns on the ruins that were called Courcellette, you talk about the bricks and dirt flying, well I should say they did. The Hun strafed a portion of the town that was between four and five hundred yards from us and the strafed area was not more than 200 yards square. Gee! He sure piled them into that place. There were ground shells of all kinds and tons of nice black smoke shrapnel. Of course there were lots of splinters coming over our way but we did not mind that as long as he did not turn the guns in our direction. This little display of power stopped as quickly as it had begun and I heard afterwards that while it was in progress one of our Colonels was killed in his dugout, which was in the shell-battered area, by one of the heavy shells, so it was headquarters that Fritz was after, he sure did it.

Malone and I had had dinner and though Fritz was still dropping some "eggs" some two hundred yards away behind us, it was reasonably quiet. We had, that morning, often wondered why he was shelling with "eggs" so far from where there was anything but we found before the day was out, he was after the very sunken road that we were in and we were to loose the guide by the damned fire of the same guns.

I had just been up the road a few yards to see my friend Tatton and was coming back to my funk hole. Just about the time that I had reached the edge of the hole there was the most awful noise started that has ever been my luck to hear. The noise was caused by machine guns and was so sharp and in such volume that I ducked into the hole in the side of the road to without waiting to see by what it was caused. You would think by the sound that there was a million machine guns loose and to make it worst still there then came on top of it a terrible, constant, rapid and spiteful booming of the artillery. Gee! The noise was something awful and you could hardly hear yourself speak. Then you heard, under all the din, the rattle of rifle fire and knew that the fellows had started up the top to gain the objective (Hessian Trench)

It did not take long for the Hohes to wake up to the passion and we were soon getting a warm greeting from tons of shells.

This was getting too hot for me and saying "To Hell with it!" I beat on the double to the dugout where the Sergeant was staying. We were, of course, all dressed for instant action and were wishing that we had been allowed to go up the line and go over with the bunch, but it was in the best interests of all the battalion that we stay there till we were wanted. Why that very morning Tatton and myself had spent some time at sharpening our bayonet points and were figuring out between ourselves when it would be the best time to go up to the front to go over with the boys. We had even quizzed the sergeant, and I guess that is where we cooked our goose for a few minutes afterwards the section officer came around to us and told us that we were to stay right there and not go up the line and over at all. "The berls of work for you to do after the line is broken and the new one taken" he said. And believe me, he was sure right.

Maybe I had been down this dugout, above mentioned, for ten minutes when the entrance way was blocked at the top and the light shut out. As I was on the bottom step naturally I walked around and up the stair to see who was coming into the dugout. The hair fairly stood up on my head and I grabbed for my revolver and shouted to the Fritzies that were coming down the steps, to stay where they were. I thought for a moment

that the line had broken and that we were in a trap. But it seems that these men had been taken prisoners and that as their own guns were even then making a rubber heap of the roadway outside they were naturally anxious to get into some shelter. They did not heed the warning that I yelled up to them but came down the dugout as though the devil was after them. It was then that I noticed the fear in their eyes and heard their mumbled "Merci Kamrad" and I guessed that they had maybe not so very minutes ago seen some of their pals killed with the bayonet and that they were completely unnerved. Looking them over I noticed that they were, with the exception of one who had no head covering, all wearing the badge of the Prussian Guard on their hats, (they had no helmets). On asking the hats off one in English what he was; he surprised us by replying that he was a saxon. Of course we knew, that they knew, that we had a sneaking regard for the Saxon troops and so we took this with a pinch of salt, so to speak. One of the prisoners was groaning and I went up to investigate what was wrong. The poor fellow had quite a large hole in the side of his body just at the bottom of his ribs and I motioned to a couple of the Huns to give me a hand to take him to the dressing station. Gee! We had some job and when we were passing one of our own fellows who had got pretty badly smashed up he cursed to Helme in a way that was nothing

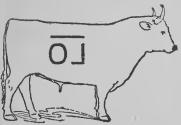
short of superb but it got the goat of the fellows that were there, and, as the Fritz was a long way worse wounded than he was, they told him to shut his mouth. We got the poor fellow to the dressing station but he died in a couple of minutes after.

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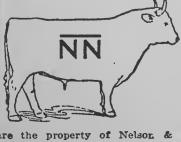
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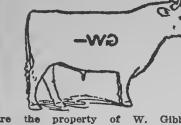
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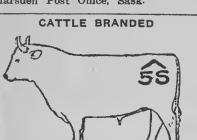
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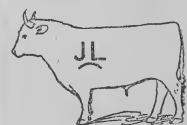
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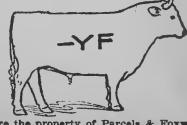
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## SHIPPING LIVESTOCK

A Shipment of Livestock will be sent to Edmonton, on TUESDAY, MARCH 1st. All stock must be in by 2 p.m.,

CHAUVIN LIVESTOCK SHIPPING ASSOC.

R. H. Beatty, Sec. Treas. L. Borregard, Shipper

## CHAUVIN LIVESTOCK ASSOCIATION

## ANNUAL MEETING

The ANNUAL MEETING of the Chauvin Livestock Shipping Association will be held at the Elevator office, Saturday afternoon, February 26th at 2 p.m., R. H. BEATTY, Secretary-Treasurer

## FOR SALE

Selected KITCHENER WHEAT

\$2.70 per bushel

LEADER OATS .90c per bushel

(yielded over 100 bus. per acre)

BANNER OATS .75c per bushel

The Old Standby

The above are all grown from Registered Seed

E. A. PITMAN  
CHAUVIN ALBERTA

## SHORTHORN BULL FOR SALE

"SIR IRWIN"

Champion of the Breed  
at Edmonton Bull Sale  
1918A WORTHY SIRE  
PRICED REASONABLE  
& GUARANTEEDE.B.Lang, Chauvin  
If you want to breed Champions  
sow the seed of champions

## SHORTHORN CATTLE FOR SALE

The Herd Bulls  
'Village Pride' (white)  
and  
'Tranby Chief' (Red)Also a few Bull Calves  
at reasonable prices, Strachan Bros.  
Chauvin Alta

## For Sale

## REGISTERED BERKSHIRE SOWS

To farrow April & May  
Choice Sows  
of the  
Medium Thick Type

\$50 each

H. C. DUNLOP  
Edgerton Alberta

## AUCTION SALES

For Good Service  
and  
The Last Dollar  
Give me a TrialE. FOXWELL  
Licensed AuctioneerM. D. Ribstone  
Council Meeting

(Continued from front page) appointed by that Corporation, to go into details, and to ask for their co-operation. Meantime the Secretary was instructed to obtain prices and terms for the purchasing of scales. All accounts presented were ordered paid on motion of Council. Sewell.

Road Division: Dr. Folkins account for land acquired for road purposes was left over until the department was communicated with as to who should pay for the lands taken over for trunk roads.

Counc. Sewell moved that the meeting be adjourned. Carried.

M. R. Jennings, Editor  
Edmonton Journal Dies

Milton Robbins Jennings, editor and managing director of The Journal, died Wednesday morning last in Victoria, B.C.

Mr. Jennings was taken ill in the late autumn and went for treatment to Portland, Oregon, where his wife was waiting him. About a month ago he was well enough to come north as far as Victoria, where he and Mrs. Jennings had planned to stay until he had regained sufficient strength to resume his active duties.

At a meeting of the executive of the Alberta division of the Canadian Press Association of Friday in Calgary, the following resolution was passed.

That the members of the executive of the Alberta division of the Canadian Press Association express their deep sense of loss at the death of Mr. M. R. Jennings, our past president, and express their condolences with Mrs. Jennings and family in their bereavement; also that the vice-president, W. J. Huntingford of Wainwright, be deputed to attend the funeral as the representative of the Associations."

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Licensed Auctioneer,  
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I now have on hand

5 Pure Bred  
Percheron Stallions  
also some  
Good Work Horses  
For Sale, CheapGEO. REYNOLDS  
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KITCHENER  
WHEAT  
RECLEANED\$2.50 per bushel  
Also a small quantity ofRED BOBS  
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RECLEANED

\$4.00 per bushel

T. Woodsdale Campbell  
R. R. 2, ARTLAND, SASK  
Section 30-44-26-w3rdCHAUVIN SCHOOL  
DISTRICT NO. 2196

Two acres adjoining the Chauvin Flour Mill on the west side. Good position for residence. High and dry. Good approach from Village and main roads. For price and terms, apply T. H. Saul, Secretary, Chauvin School District, Chauvin, Alta. Jan. 3rd 1921

## CLASSIFIED ADVT'S

## Wanted

WANTED TO RENT: ONE SECTION or half section of land between Chauvin and Artland. Rudolph Kekula, Artland, Sask. 352p

WANTED: TO BUY THROUGH the Soldier's Settlement Board or rent on shares; half or quarter section. Apply R. H. Mana, Box 21 Chauvin.

## Lost &amp; Strayed

STRAYED TO PREMISES: 2 RED TAILING heifers, one branded CH on right hip, the other branded with a flying diamond, tails downward. Thos. Bazley N.E. quarter 20-44-3 w4th.

STRAYED TO S.W. 2-45-3-4: Dec. 13th 1920: One Light Grey Filly, about 4 years old, with white face, weight 1050 lbs. Owner can recover same by proving ownership and paying for advertisement and keep from February 1st at 25c per day. Warren Wilson, Edgerton

STRAYED TO PREMISES: RED and white steer, about 18 months old, no visible brand: left ear split, C. B. L. Ouellette, 23-43-2 Chauvin.

STRAYED: ONTO MY PREMISES about Nov. 15th one Red Cow, underling and hind legs white with a white faced heifer. NO brand visible. John Dallyn, S.W. 32-42-2 W 4th, Ribstone, Alberta.

LOST: ONE RED COW, BRANDED (Lazy H) M on right rib, horn grown over top or eye. Suitable reward offered. P. Manson, Chauvin, 350p

## For Sale

FOR SALE: TEN 10 GALLON empty whiskey kegs: Apply G. Bulmer, Chauvin. 254p

FOR SALE: 200 BUSHELS SPRING RYE, excellent quality \$1.50 per bushel cleaned. H. Young, Chauvin. 511p

FOR SALE: 'NELLIE' THE QUIET gentle school horse, broken, single or double or saddle. \$55 cash or exchange for cow due to freshen in spring. M. S. Preston, Box 46 Chauvin, Alta.

FOR SALE: CUTTER GEAR suitable for buggy box, Apply A. E. Keith Chauvin.

FOR SALE: TWO COWS: CHOICE of five, 2 Registered shorthorn bulls, 2 horses. Will trade stallion. Cleaned for stock. Mrs. T. Smith, Butze. 352p

FOR SALE: GOOD GREEN OAT STRAW, about 80 loads all as good as hay. \$4.00 an ordinary load. John Snell, 24-44-1 Chauvin. 52p

FOR SALE: TEN MILK COWS: two due to freshen in a few days; the remainder to freshen in spring. L. V. Langille, Chauvin.

FOR SALE: MILK COWS, CHOICE of 12 head, due to freshen shortly. F. Cargill, S.E. 22-43-1, 1/2 miles north of Butze.

FOR SALE: GOOD FRESH green from Registered Seed \$2.00 per bus

A quantity of cleaned Spring Rye \$2.00 per bus

A few Extra Good Milk Cows that are just fresh

One Poland China Sow due to farrow in April \$40.00

also a nice lot of Barred Rock Cockerels at \$3.00 each

L. FAHNER  
CHAUVIN ALBERTA

FOR SALE: POST CARD SIZE Folding Camera with portrait attachment: Apply, Chauvin Chronicle.

LAND FOR SALE: 480 ACRES endbook of choice land for sale. Near to post office. Price \$3.50 per acre and easy terms. J. Bradley R. R. 2, Artland, Sask.

## FOR SALE

200 Bushels of Pure RED BOBS WHEAT  
from  
Registered Stock

\$5.00 per bushel

Cleaned for Seed

Order Early  
to avoid disappointmentT. H. ARMOUR  
CHAUVIN, ALBERTA

## Church Services

Go to Church Sunday; and set a good example to the children.

## WESTMINSTER CHURCH

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 27th 1921

11 am. Sunday School

11 a.m. Service at Prosperity

3 p.m. Service at Airlie

7.30 p.m. Service at Chauvin

RIBSTONE FIELD

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 27th 1921

Greengrass 11 a.m.

Sulper Springs 3 p.m.

All cordially invited.

Church service will be resumed at 7.30 p.m.. All are cordially invited to attend.

L.D.S. CHURCH, RIBSTONE

SUNDAY SERVICES SERVICES SUSPENDED

EGLISE DU SACRE COEUR

10.30 Grande Messe

8.30 Basse Messe

Pere Huot Curate

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